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Hospital Rate to Rise For Non Ratepayers

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Wainwright Municipal Hospital District No. 17 was held at the hospital, Saturday, December 8, 1945. Members present were—Chairman, Trustee Gould and Trustees McLeod, Gardiner and Dietrich.

Minutes of the last regular meeting were read and on motion of Trustee Gardiner were adopted. Cd.

Moved by Trustee Gardiner that the secretary write to the Royal Alexandria Hospital, the General Hospital and the University Hospital, to enquire if an agreement could be drawn up whereby ratepayer patients who require special treatment which cannot be given in the Municipal Hospital, could be sent to Edmonton for such special care after a Board of Local Doctors have agreed that such treatment is necessary. Cd.

Moved by Trustee Gardiner that non-ratepayers rates be raised from $2.75 per day to $3.00 per day to take effect as from January 1st 1946. Cd.

Moved by Trustee Dietrich that subscribers fees be raised from $8.00 to $9.00 to take effect as from January 1st 1946. Cd.

Moved by Trustee Dietrich that secretary have the following notice published in the Wainwright Star:—"Resident non-ratepapers may purchase subscriber tickets from the Matron or Secretary for the sum of $9.00 which entitles the dependents of the subscriber to the same privileges as a ratepayer. Tickets must be purchased before the fifteenth day of February 1946." Cd.

The finance committee reported they had examined the bank book and ledger and found same to be correct. Moved by Trustee Dietrich that the report be accepted. Cd.

Moved by Trustee Dietrich that secretary have authority to issue December salary cheques before Christmas. Cd.

Moved by Trustee Gardiner that secretary and vice-chairman have authority to approve and pay all December accounts. Cd.

A very interesting report was given by Trustee Gardiner who attended the Associated Hospitals Convention, held in Calgary November 14, 15 and 16. Moved by Trustee Dietrich that a hearty vote of thanks be extended to Trustee Gardiner for his splendid report and that his report be accepted.

Matron's report for the month of November was as follows:—

Number of Patients	59
No. of out patients	17
Total No. of patients treated	76
Total No. of hospital days	473
Classification of Patients Admitted	
Surgical, Major 4 Minor 2)	14
Medical	33
Obstetrical	6
Infants born	6
Total	59
Deaths	1

Moved by Trustee McLeod that Matron's report be accepted. Cd.

Moved by Trustee McLeod that accounts amounting to $1,968.59 be approved and cheques issued. Cd.

Moved by Trustee Gardiner that accounts amounting to $688.82 be approved as per statement and written off. Cd.

Moved by Trustee Dietrich that the meeting adjourn. The next regular meeting to be held Saturday, January 19, 1946. Cd.

CHRISTMAS WEEK OFFERS CHANCE TO PREDICT WEATHER

Weather prognosticators have found means of forecasting most of the coming year's weather by cocking an eye at the sky during Christmas week. You may not believe them, but here are a few of the varied—and conflicting—beliefs about Christmas weather:

If the sun shines through the apple tree on Christmas day, there will be a good crop the following year.

If ice will bear a man before Christmas, it will not bear a mouse afterward.

Thunder and lightning Christmas week means much snow in the winter.

Wet causes more damage than frost before than after Christmas.

If it snows Christmas night, the hop crop will be good next year.

At Christmas meadows green, at Easter covered with frost.

If windy Christmas day, trees will bring much fruit

Christmas wet gives empty granary and barrel.

A green Christmas makes a fat graveyard.

A warm Christmas, a cold Easter.

A green Christmas, a white Easter.

Former Wain. Man Dies in Springfield, U.S.

Fred J. Gehring husband of Mary (Rame) Gehring of 60 Chestnut street Springfield, died at his home last night. He was born at Harvey, N.D., October 12, 1897 and had lived in West Springfield for 20 years. He was a carpenter by trade and had been employed by the Boston & Albany railroad for 25 years. He was a member of St. Thomas church and the American Legion. Besides his widow, he leaves two sons, Donald F. and William E, both at home; four sisters, Mrs. Pauline Rowland, Mrs. Katherine Lewis and Mrs. Lucy Caplehorn, all of Canada, and Mrs. Emma Tucker of Kevin, Mont.; two brothers August and Edward Gehring, also of Canada.

The military funeral was held at the Curran-Jones funeral home, followed by a requiem high mass at St. Thomas' church with Rev. Aloysius Budnik officiating. The active bearers were Edward Rame, William Blake, John Prenosil, John Caron, Stephen Vinisko and Frank Brogley. A delegation from West Springfield post 207, American Legion, attended and included Commander Claude G. Valliere, Roy M. Coons, Edward L. Raymond, William Thompson Frank Orton and Romeo Demaris. The bugler was Ronald W. Drumm of the Sons of the American Legion. Father Budnik read the committal services at the grave in St. Thomas cemetery.

The late Mr. Fred J. Gehring better known as "Fritz" will be well remembered by many of the old timers of Wainwright having lived here for a number of years. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Gehring also formerly of Wainwright.

The deceased spent a holiday here three years ago visiting relatives and renewing acquaintances. Sympathies are extended to the bereaved relatives in town.

Miss K. Wilkins Entertained at Shower

A surprise shower was held on Friday evening when Miss Joyce McNally entertained a party of friends at her home in honor of Miss Catherine Wilkins, a bride-elect of this month.

A pleasant evening was spent in games and contests after which Miss Wilkins was presented with a basket of beautiful and useful gifts.

A delicious lunch was served the guests by Mrs. McNally and the party broke up after singing "For She's A Jolly Good Fellow."

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of L. P. Hussey who passed away, December 15, 1928.

In my heart your memory lingers
Always tender, fond and true
There is not a day dear one
That I do not think of you.

Sadly missed by his wife
V. HUSSEY

LAST WEEKS Pass Winners to the Elite Theatre

Mrs. Hume—Adult Education Story
Mrs. N. Willerton—So & Sow Party and Dance

If the above named persons will call in at "The Star" office, they will be presented with two complimentary passes to any show at the Elite Theatre, excepting Saturday night.

We of the Star are pleased with the stories that you could send in and who knows, maybe you might be the lucky winner of next weeks passes.

Compliments of The Wainwright Star

W.A., W.M.S. Present 1946 Slate of Officers

The regular monthly meeting of the W.M.S. and W.A was held at the home of Mrs. F. Fahner with twenty seven members and three visitors present.

The candle lighting service conducted by the W.M.S. members was most impressive and everyone joined in the singing of Christmas Carols, with Mrs. Coutts presiding at the piano.

The new W.M.S slate of officers brought in by the nominating committee for the ensuing year is as follows: President, Mrs. L. W. Smith; Vice President, Mrs. A Joyce; Secretary, Mrs. M. Treffry; Treasurer, Mrs. J. Crawford; Community Friendship Secretary, Mrs. F. Wright; Supply Secretary, Mrs. Nordstrom.

The nominating committee for the W.A brought in the following slate of officers: President, Mrs. W. Harley Vice President, Mrs. L. Mitchell; Secretary, Mrs. F. Wright; Treasurer, Mrs. F. Stevenson.

The president extended sincere thanks to those who generously donated and to those who so ably assisted thus making the bazaar possible.

Members reported 45 calls during last month. No calling committee was appointed.

Mrs. Lambert kindly offered her home for the next meeting which will be held one week later than the usual time. Mrs. Wilhelm and Mrs. Watt will be the hostesses.

After the close of the meeting the usual social hour was spent during which an enjoyable lunch was served by Mrs. L. Tory and Mrs. M. Telford

THE CHRISTMAS WREATH

With holly and ivy,
So green and so gay
We deck up our houses
As fresh as the day,
With bays and rosemary
And laurel complete,
Is a king of conceit.
—Old Carol, 1695.

A classification of existing medical and health films has been completed during the past year by the National Film Board.

Credit Union Donates Dance Proceeds to Peace Centre

Over three hundred people bought tickets to the dance sponsored by the Credit Union on Friday evening, December 7th. The Separate School Auditorium was well filled and everyone enjoyed dancing to the strains of the Wilson Orchestra. Mr. Milton Wilson, recently returned from overseas added much to the music with his trumpet.

Mrs. Eddie Walker of Wainwright and Pte. S. C. Gates of Wainwright Internment Camp were the holders of the lucky tickets entitling them each to a $5.00 credit slip at the Wainwright Co-Op Store.

Proceeds amounting to $102.92 will be donated to the Wainwright Peace Memorial Centre Fund.

C.G.I.T. NOTES

The regular meeting of the C.G.I.T. was held in the P.T. room of the High School.

After the business meeting the girls discussed the Vesper Service which is to be held in the United Church on December 16th at 4:30 p.m. The girls were each given a part in the tableau to be held that afternoon.

The girls who were chosen to sing in the choir, left for the home of Mrs. Coutt's where a practise was held.

The next meeting will be held in the United Church at 4:30 p.m., Wednesday when the girls will practise for the tableau.—P.A.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stinert wish to announce the marriage of their daughter Elvine to Mr. Arthur Upton of Hargwen, Alberta. The wedding to take place, December 17th.

A social evening and wedding dance will be held in the Separate School Auditorium that evening and all friends and associates are cordially invited to attend.

Chinese New Year's Greeting

The Chinese New Year's greeting is "Sui-hi," or May joy be yours.

Committee Present Report On Peace Memorial Centre

This is the official record of the proceedings of Council of the Town of Wainwright at their regular meeting held in the council chamber at 8 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, December 4th, A.D. 1945

The members of Council present at this meeting were Councillors Robinson, Tory, Cork, Stafford Coleman and Leggett—Deputy Mayor Tory presiding.

The recorded proceedings of the Council at their regular meeting held on November 20th, 1945, were read and on motion of Councillor Stafford were confirmed as written.

On motion of Councillor Robinson, that a grant of $10.00 be made to Wood's Christian Homes and the Mayor and Secretary be authorized to issue a cheque in that amount to this Institution.

On motion of Councillor Cork, that the Report of Town Constable Patterson for the month of November be received and filed.

On motion of Councillor Cork, that communication from Wainwright Gas Co. Ltd., bearing date of November 30th, 1945, relative to precautionary measures in the event of failure of gas supply be received and filed.

On motion of Councillor Stafford, that the application of Precision Radio Company to operate a Radio Sales and Supply Service in Wainwright be approved by Council and recommendation to the Wartime Prices and Trades Board be made to this effect.

On motion of Councillor Stafford, that the application of Mr. Angus W. Fraser of Vermilion, Alberta, to purchase Lot 20 in Block 26, Plan 6445-V for the sum of $30.00 be accepted by Council pending the passing of the necessary By-Law.

On motion of Councillor Leggett, that the Report of the Secretary-Treasurer relative to Court of Revision of 1945 Voters' List, be received and filed.

On motion of Councillor Leggett, that the following Report of F. G. Ganderton, Enumerator and Census Taker for the Town of Wainwright,

"To the Mayor and Council, Town of Wainwright - Sirs, I have to report that I completed the 1945 Supplementary Voters' List for the Town of Wainwright by the statutory date of November 10th and you will find thereon the total of names as 383. I also completed a Census of the Town of Wainwright on the above date and I find that there are 1241 persons resident in the Town at the present time. These names are entered in alphabethical order in books supplied by the Secretary and the record of same should prove of value for future reference. Yours respectfully, F. G. Ganderton.

On motion of Councillor Robinson, that the Report of the Finance Committee be accepted as submitted and that the Mayor and Secretary-Treas. be authorized and instructed to issue cheques to pay the individual account in the total amount of $7659.78.

Alberta Gov. Telephones	$ 14.40
Registrar, L.T.O.	25.00
Bank of Montreal	1307.77
Calgary Power Co. Ltd.	351.20
Wain. School Dist	2000.00
Wain. Separate School Dist.	705.60
Wain. Hospital Dist	1101.00
Dr. H. C Wallace	100.00
Dr. J. G Middlemass	100.00
P. E. Patterson	124.62
Harley Renville	117.05
Fred Sheffield	216.66
Joe Wright	25.00
Inspector of Income Tax	32.10
Wainwright Star	6.75
Mun. Dist of Wain.	345.88
F. G Ganderton	38.30
Prov. Treas.	21.25
Old Age Pensions Board	402.08
D. Pawsey	150.65
Buckle's Hardware	71.00
J. A. MacKenzie	4.83
Wain. Gas Co	79.33
Joe Wright	50.00
A. Moan	57.60

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Wainwright C.G.I.T. To Hold Vesper Service

The C.G.I.T. Christmas Vesper Service will be held in the United Church Sunday, December 16th, 1945 at 4:30 o'clock. Canadian Girls in Training groups of all Protestant Churches will participate. Those in charge of the Service will be Mrs. J. H. Lambert and Mrs. A. Hancock. The beauty and significance of the Vesper Service itself, together with the fact that it is National in character, the closest link the local group has with the whole C.G.I.T. movement, have been responsible in large measure for its acceptance by many of the Protestant churches in Canada as an integral part of the planned Christmas programme.

The Vesper Service provides an opportunity for girls to share in a worship experience. It also makes possible the services of a National Girls' Work Secretary. Offerings taken at this time are the only source of support for the National Girls' Work Board, which comes into existence during the last Great War and has through its programme, personnel and published materials, its camps and conferences, carried on comprehensive work in Christian Education in Canada.

You are cordially invited to be present at a C.G.I.T. Christmas Vesper Service.

(Signed) MRS. G. H. LAMBERT
MRS. A. HANCOCK

Resorts in Rockies Re-open June 15

Closed since 1942 by the exigencies of war, summer hotels of the C.P.R. from the Atlantic coast to the Rockies will re-open next June, prepared to handle an all-time high in tourist traffic, it was announced today by H. F. Mathews, general manager of hotels for the C.P.R.

Affected by the announcement are: Banff Springs Hotel, Chateau Lake Louise, and Emerald Lake Chalet, all in the Rockies, where four lodges, Lake O'Hara, Yoho Valley, Lake Wapta and Moraine Lake, also will re-open, as well as the Algonquin Hotel and the Digby Pines in the Maritimes.

All-expense tours in the Canadian Rockies will also begin operations again next summer.

Assurance that next summer would see the solution of the twin problems of availability of suitable staffs and the ability of Canadian and American transportation companies to handle the large volume of tourist traffic expected, made the decision to reopen possible.

The palatial Alpine resorts at Banff Springs, Lake Louise and Emerald Lake, will begin their season on June 15. Moraine Lake Lodge will re-open the same day while other mountain lodges at Lake O'Hara, Yoho Valley and Lake Wapta will start service June 22.

W.H.S. HI-LITES

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Our annual Christmas function this year to be the "Holiday Frolic," is being planned for Friday, Dec. 21st in the Masonic Hall. A program is being prepared which will be followed by dancing. Admission has been set at 35c.

About half the W.H.S. students are accepting the invitation of the Edgerton Teen-Age Club to attend their Christma adance on the 27th.

The hockey team played a game at Irma last Wednesday, in which the latter was defeated by a score of 5-1. The Irma team as a special feature of the Wainwright Days is going to play in town Wednesday night.

EXPLORERS NOTES

The Explorers Group held their weekly meeting in the Sunday School Room of the Presbyterian Church on Friday, December 7th.

We discussed our business and Mrs. Hancock announced that we were invited in a body to attend the Vesper Service to be held at 4:30 on Dec. 16th in the United Church which is being conducted by the C.G.I.T. Group

Next meeting will be held on Dec. 21st, at 7:30 p.m.—P.M

Still photographs covering the latest scientific developments in Canada, industrial and social progress, and news events of special interest are available in the Photo Services Department of the National Film Board.

Curling Club Opens New Curling Season

This week sees the curling club activities underway in earnest, and with no less than 18 rinks formed, it looks as if the game is to be one of the biggest this season.

SKIP	THIRD	SECOND	LEAD
Buckle	E. Gehring	Pigeon	G. Boyd
Currell	Army Personel		
Koch	McGregor	R. Greer	Geo. Jackson
Sanquine	Army Personel		
C.N.R. — Allen	Fenby	F. Buck	Reg. Lissimore
Reynolds	C. Reynolds	Jeff Taylor	H. Ruste
Smith	Purcell	Fred Smith	Fairburn
L. Mitchell	J. Mitchell	C. Hume	Lorne McLeod
Coutts	O. Griffiths	Dave Rattray	S. Armishaw
J. Davison	A. Rattray	Wallace Rattray	Johnstone
Don	Army Personel		
Kleinmeyer	Crawford		W. Adams
B. Cowley	S. Ryan	I. Mitchell	D. Stafford
Graunke		S. Latch	Bill Hettler
Carl	R. Krendall	Jim Der	Alf Berg
Turner	H. King	Armishaw	Sid MacDonald
Beeching	Mulvey	Thurber	R. Wilkins
Stone	K. Snyder	O. Croteau	A. Jorden

There are many new names in the line up this year, and as the rinks are not altogether completed, we will publish them as they stand at press time.

CURLING DRAWS FOR WEEK

Tuesday—7:30 p.m.

Reynolds vs Buckle	2
Kleinmeyer vs Davison	3
Currell vs Beeching	1

Wednesday—7:00 p.m.

Don vs Mitchell	2
Smith vs C.N.R.	3
Sanquire vs Koch	1

9:00 p.m.

Graunke vs Cowley	1
Coutts vs Turner	3
Carl vs Stone	2

Thursday—7:30 p.m.

Reynolds vs Davison	1
Buckle vs Beeching	3
Currell vs Kleinmeyer	2

Friday—7:30 p.m.

Koch vs Sgt. Don	3
C.N.R vs Sanquine	2
Mitchell vs Smith	1

FOLLOW THESE RULES WHEN ADDRESSING XMAS CARDS

In addressing Christmas cards, many questions are bound to arise with regard to correct form. The following tips on addressing Christmas cards will, therefore, be welcomed by all who have cards to send.

Christmas greeting cards fall into two general classes, formal and informal. If you use printed or engraved cards for formal use, the title Miss Mr., or Mr. and Mrs. should preferably appear above the greeting. For instance: "Mr. and Mrs. Frank Russell wish you a Merry Christmas," rather than "A Merry Christmas from Mr. and Mrs. Frank Russell."

Whose name should come first, the husband's or the wife's? Generally, the husband's name comes first. On informal cards, signed in ink, it is quite proper to sign, "Bill and Shirley," or Bill and Shirley Adams, depending of course, upon how well you know the acquaintance.

A married woman, whether her husband is alive or not, should be addressed with "Mrs." prefixed to her husband's full name. Every card sent out should bear a Mr., Mrs., or Miss prefix. Failure to use this prefix is an unpardonable breach of courtesy.

Do not address a divorcee by her maiden name, unless such name has been established by legal procedure.

John Robertson may be a business associate of yours, to whom you want to send a Christmas card, but you do not know his wife. What shall you do in a case of this kind? It is quite proper to send your card to Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson, although, on the other hand, it is equally proper to send the card in his name only. It adds a little of the personal touch to learn the home address and send the card there, although directing the card to a business address is quite proper.

Some question as to the propriety of sending out Christmas cards may enter the minds of the family in mourning. By the same token, some question may arise as to the sending of Christmas cards to them. If the bereavement is very recent—within a month—it may be better for the family to omit Christmas cards. And cards to be sent to the family should be selected with considerable care.

Making Wreaths At Home

Inexpensive Christmas wreaths may be made of cuttings from pine trees, barberry and bayberry with pine cones wired on. At any florist's a wire circle can be bought with bunches of thin wires, making it the easiest of tasks to build up a wreath that is unusual in its beauty.

President M. Gilkes Visits Adeline Lodge

A very pleasant evening was spent by the members of Adeline Rebekah Lodge No. 54 on Thursday last when Mrs. M. Gilkes, President of the Rebekah Assembly of Alberta made an official visit to their lodge.

During the evening two new members were initiated into the Order and the Degree exemplified, after which Sister Gilkes in a few well chosen words presented Sister M. Carsell with a Veteran's jewel on behalf of the lodge.

At the close of the meeting a delicious lunch was served with the tables daintily decorated with pink and green streamers and candles carrying out the color scheme. After lunch Sister Mary Ganderton, N.G., presented the President with a gift from the lodge for which she thanked the members.

Peace Memorial Centre Start Drive for Funds

With the granting of the charter to the Peace Memorial Centre, (Wainwright), the local committee are now opening their drive for funds.

While the committee are endeavoring to canvass the whole district, it is almost physically impossible to reach every one, and so they request that if you haven't given your donation to this great and worthy venture, that you contact any of the committee, or Mr. L. C. Tory who is the secretary-treasurer.

To date there has been collected, $191.26 which will be itemized below:—

Wainwright Public School	$131.86
Wainwright Separate School	5.40
Membership Fees	54.00
Total	191.26

Each week in the Star, we will try and publish the list of donations and memberships, but owing to pressure on space this week it was impossible.

U.S. Victory Loan Over 12 Billions

Washington, Dec. 8—The Treasury today announced without fanfare, that the United States' Victory Loan had come over the top of its $11,000,000,000 goal.

Lack of enthusiasm displayed by officials over bond sales totalling $12,289,999,999 — including corporation purchases of $8,076,000,000 and individual purchases of $4,412,000,000—stemmed from the fact that only $1,165,000,000 was in "E" bonds—securities aimed primarily at the consumer with idle cash. The "E" bond goal is $2,000,000,000.

COUPON CALENDAR

December 13—Meat Coupon 15
Butter Coupon 133
December 20—Meat Coupon 16
Butter Coupon 134
Preserves Coupons P22, 23, 24, 25
(The two extra preserves coupons P24, 25 will replace the usual sugar coupon for December.)
December 27—Meat Coupon 17
Butter Coupon 135

"Singing Stars of Tomorrow"
'a nation-wide talent parade'
3:30 p.m. Sunday
CJCA
(presented by York Knitting Mills)

FARM TIRES

will be more plentiful next spring, so we advise you to place your order now for a set of

DOMINION TIRES

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Tony's Service Station

GAS OILS GREASES
cor MAIN & FORTH Phone 51 WAINWRIGHT
(WE GUARANTEE OUR BATTERY CHARGING)

Wainwright Pentecostal Church

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8th, 1945

Sunday School—10:00 a.m.
Evangelistic Service—7:30 p.m.
Young People's Service—7:00 p.m.
All are urged to come early for Prayer Service
Tuesday, 8:00 p.m.—Prayer and Praise Meeting.
Wednesday, 2:30 p.m.—WMS
Thursday, 4:00 p.m.—Practice at Parsonage
11 Thess V:17—"Pray Without Ceasing"

Rev. and Mrs. E. Opheim in charge

FOR QUICK SALE

WE HAVE SOME VERY ATTRACTIVE FARM LAND AND HOUSES FOR SALE. IT WILL PAY TO COME IN AND TALK THESE OVER.

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6—¼ Sections of Good Farm Land
3 Sets of Buildings—4 miles from Wainwright.
5 roomed house and garage, located 2nd Ave., Wainwright, $1700 cash

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MAKE US AN OFFER:

Unimproved ½ section—1 mile from town
Improved ¾ section—8 miles north of Wainwright

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Valuators - Insurance - Real Estate - Rentals
List your property with us for sale or rent

HEATH

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Patterson and Frances spent a few days in Edmonton at the beginning of the week.

Mr. Geo. Davis of Edmonton was a week-end guest at the Bartlett home.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Walker motored to Edmonton on Friday.

Reg Wiley is busy moving the Reg. Smith house onto his farm and hopes to have it ready when Mrs. Wiley arrives home from the hospital.

The Lagerquist family are rejoicing over the news that Mr. B. Lagerquist has arrived back in Canada after four years spent overseas and will be home for Christmas.

Geo. Turnbull returned on Thursday after a holiday spent at his former home in Manitoba.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Touchette and family and Mr. and Mrs. S. Touchette and family spent Sunday at the La Palme home at Fabyan.

Heath Junior Red Cross held a card party and dance at the school on Friday evening. The winners at cards were Mrs. M. Herbert and Marcel Touchette. The winning ticket on the wool blanket which was drawn by Miss Gladys Zajic went to E. Laplerre.

Tim Johns has been busy at the Morton Herbert farm drilling for water.

Rendezvous

Homesickness, perhaps, had brought him back. Old Peter Johansen buttoned his threadbarer overcoat, blew warm breath on his rough hands and jumped to the ground. There was no railroad detective to grab him for riding that freight train, because this was the day before Christmas. All but the homeless, like himself, seemed busy preparing for the Day of Days.

Forty years, Peter reflected, since he last set foot in Clark City. It had been a year after the big earthquake a year after all hell broke loose, killing his parents and sister as they sat at dinner in the little house on Vine street.

Peter remembered: How he had come home late that evening; how the earth began quivering like a beast possessed: how he had searched like a madman through the ruins of that shock-wracked, fire-swept bungalow. Then, as Clark City began rebuilding, he had drifted off in a daze to roam up and down the earth—a ne'er-do-well, a hobo!

But always he remembered Linda, dear little sister Linda. In 40 years her memory always came back stronger than ever on Christmas Eve, for it was then that they used to climb Lookout Hill hand-in-hand at dusk, watching the evening star rise in the heavens.

That, perhaps, was why he was back this Christmas Eve.

"Almost dusk now," he reflected, trudging along Clark City's busy thoroughfare. Christmas crowds jostled him, for he was a hapless wanderer with no place to go.

No place to go?. Not Peter! Soon he found his way to the old residential district where Lookout Hill rose like a sentinel.

"The same old hill," he told himself. "Little Linda! If you were only here now to see your big brother! No—thank God you're not here, for your big brother is ashamed of himself!"

At the crest Peter stood alone for a long time, watching the star appear as it had since that first night over Bethlehem. He didn't notice the old lady until she spoke.

"Beautiful, that star, isn't it?"

Peter fumbled with his grease-stained cap.

"Yes'm it is. Especially from Lookout Hill."

"Many years ago," she continued, almost in a trance, "my little brother and I used to watch that star rise in the heavens each Christmas Eve, until—" (she wiped a tear away)—"we were separated some-how during the big earthquake. He was killed, they found out later.

"Each Christmas Eve ever since I've come back here, just to remember him. I hope he's happy up there in Heaven."

Peter was staring at her, fairly ready to shriek, for it was Linda! No doubt about it, now!

He recognized the tilt of her nose, unchanged by the years; the familiar ring of a voice that somehow had failed to grow old. But he held himself back, for Peter was ashamed of himself.

She didn't notice him shuffle off after awhile, for Linda was still watching the star.

In the freight yards he found an empty boxcar and bedded down under some straw in a corner. After a while he felt the car move, and somehow he was glad.

"Yes, it was Linda," he sobbed to himself, "but I couldn't tell her. Thank God she's alive and happy. And Thank God she remembers me on Christmas eve as I was, not as I am."

After awhile he fell asleep.

Even when a small home goes to pieces, the nation it belongs to feels the bump.

EDGERTON

Workmen have been busy all the week on George Sawyer's new building and it will not be long until he has his workshop ready for Radio and Electrical repair work.

Two more local boys are back. Tpr. Don Gordon of the Calgary Tanks is back from overseas and on leave pending discharge and Sgt. Roy Evans has already received his discharge.

The Edgerton Board of Trade held their Annual Meeting at the hotel on Tuesday, with an attendance of 16. The following were chosen as the Executive for 1946: J. Steele, president; W. R. Challenger, vice president; and J. A. Geddes, secretary-treasurer. The question of trying to purchase the hall was the main topic of discussion, and it was decided to delay coming to a conclusion on the matter until the local branch of the Legion had made some enquiries from headquarters with regard to their getting a building for their activities.

Mrs. Roy Evans arrived home Monday with her new infant son. She was accompanied by her grandmother Mrs. H. Woodcock.

Kevin Wolff is the new clerk in the Co-Op Store.

Mrs. J. A. Geddes and two children arrived in town Saturday.

LAC Tom Johnson of the RCAF is on leave visiting his parents.

Mrs. Fred Ramsay was a city visitor for a few days.

Maurice Byers was a one day visitor here Tuesday from Pouce Coupe.

Geo. Sawyer's new power engine arrived Wednesday and he is now busy installing it.

Stanley Steele arrived back from Medicine Hat with another truck

The Curling Club staged an Ice Frolic last Wednesday. There were not many out of town visitors, but the evening proved quite a financial sucess.

Mrs. P. S. Pawsey, Mrs Stratton and Mrs. J. Steele were all visitors to the city.

St. Mary's W.A. met at the home of Mrs. F. Darling for their monthly meeting on Thursday.

Mrs. Gilmour, Sr., of Vegreville is visiting at the home of her son Mr. J. F. Gilmour. Mr. and Mrs S G Ash of Peace River were visiting her aunt Mrs. J. F. Gilmour.

The businessmen of Edgerton sponsored the usual Free Christmas Picture Show, Friday and Saturday.

There were two break-ins Friday night, one at the Co-Op Store and one at the Hotel. The police are investigating.

Rev. R. Clegg and Tom Roberts are both on the sick list.

Mrs. W. Reynolds of Rosedale is visiting with Mrs. Sawyer, Sr.

The C.G.I.T. Christmas Vesper Service will be held in the United Church Sunday evening, Dec. 16th at 7:30 p.m. The CGIT group assisted by the Boy Scouts will participate in the service. Miss Whelen will be in charge

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Need Still Exists For More Nurses

"There is still an acute shortage of graduate nursing personnel in many Canadian hospitals," states Miss F. Munroe, President of the Canadian Nurses Association, whose Executive Committee is holding its Fall session in Montreal this week.

Reports indicate that this shortage exists in every province in Canada. Even though this does not apply to hospital, an appeal is issued to all Canadian nurses to help meet the need where it exists.

It was hoped that the situation might be eased somewhat when the nursing sisters had been demobilized and had returned to civilian positions in their profession. Although some have already been released from the Services, their number does not begin to meet the demand.

Prepaid hospitalization plans have already led to greatly incerased demands for nursing service and with the extensive hospital building program now being planned, an even greater demand for nursing service must be anticipated.

"Canada will, for some time to come, need all her nurses in nursing positions," concluded Miss Munroe, explaining that the care of war veterans, the increasing tendency toward hospitalization and professional nursing service on the part of the population as a whole, and expanding public health programs all contribute toward the need for more and more nurses.

CHRISMAS IN SWEDEN

Sweden celebrates her Christmas December 24 with fish and rice porridge.

GREENSHIELDS

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Symes and Ardelle of Battleview were visitors at the home of W. C. Jackson.

Mrs. Siddons of Wainwright was substitute teacher at our school this week in the absence of Miss Kuefler through sickness.

Mr. Alex Postan's and sons were Sunday visitors at the Morrisons.

Mrs. Alex Plater has returned home after receiving dental treatment in Edmonton.

Mrs. A. C. Hutchison and baby son are home once more with Andy and the family.

Mrs. E. Boyko was an Edmonton tripper this week.

While patroling the track on Sunday morning the Section gang had the misfortune of having their speeder struck by a train at one of the Curves east of town. No one was hurt but the speeder came off second best in the encounter.

The Greenshields Ladies Aid will hold a regular meeting on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. White, when Christmas gifts will be exchanged.

A number of local folks attended the Junior Red Cross Dance at Heath Friday night, while others danced in Wainwright, all report an enjoyable evening.

Another of the popular fortnightly dances will be held in the hall on Friday, Dec. 14th. Don't miss this.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Rublee were week-end visitors at the Roach's.

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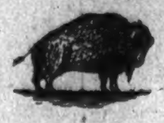

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THE ANNUAL MEETING BOARD OF TRADE

To the members and non members alike who did not attend the Board of Trade annual meeting on Wednesday last, we would like to pass on the information that, they really missed a good meeting.

The occasion being the annual meeting, with election of officers as well as varied other important matters before hand, the hotel dining room was very nicely laid out, as 35 were seated at the banquet table.

The biggest topic of the evening was the address given by Mr. Townley Smith, on the advisability of holding an agriculture fair in the summer time. It was pointed out by Mr. Smith that the old agriculture fairs had lost their original purpose and meaning, although they were still one way to transmit newer and better ideas to our farming population. They did have a place in our society, but with todays demands for more and more knowledge of farming and all its aspects, there are better ways that obtain greater and more promising results.

One of the members in attendance then asked the possibilities of the formation of a landing field being established in Wainwright and he was suitably replied to by Mr. J. Robinson, who is one of the councillors selected to look into the matter as fully as possible up to the present time.

With the annual meeting, it was very necessary to have the financial report read to the members, and everyone received the report with great enthusiasm. Mr. Wilbraham is to be commended very highly for his efforts as secretary-treasurer during the past three years.

With the election of officers at hand, Mr. L. W. Smith was re-elected as president and Mr. P. Armishaw re-elected as vice president. A recent new comer to our town has offered to take over the position of secretary-treasurer in the person of Mr. Dave Krull, who is a discharged veteran and is now an employee of the Calgary Power Co. in Wainwright.

After the meeting one could not but feel that it was the most beneficial meeting that had been held during the past twelve months. The big sticker is, WHY can not the regular meetings be held in the form of a dinner meeting every month?

We are fully aware of the inconviences that accompany a meeting of such type, what with the noise of doors slamming, and orders being given, but such nuisances are petty when compared with the achievements of the monthly Board of Trade meetings when held in the form of a dinner meeting.

This is something that the executive should endeavor to work toward, which we feel quite sure would be appreciated by all, and would warrant the attendance of a large crowd such as was witnessed last week.

One of the most important items that should be on any meeting agenda of business men, is a talk or short speech by someone in the know, on various topics and subjects that would be of general interest to men in business. Last week proved our point while a very small percentage of attendants were farmers most everyone received some benefit from Mr. Smiths talk, and yet it was not a talk of direct interest to the business man, but more of a secondary interest in which it effects every individual sooner or later. Guest speakers could be imported from Edmonton and we feel quite sure that they would be only too willing to do so.

Now that we have the ball rolling, lets keep it rolling and be sure to keep up the Board of Trade. It is for our own good and eventually the good of everybody, as every group, trade, business or profession is represented there, and criticism and comments are bound to find their way to the source with widespread good resulting.

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TIME FOR CHRISTMAS

"It's wonderful to have time for Christmas this year!" exclaimed my friend, Evelyn Woodruff.

The December evening was cold, and Evelyn had come to my apartment for a cup of hot cocoa. We had been attending a performance of Handel's "Messiah," given annually by the combined church choirs of our city.

"I mean that it's wonderful to have time to enjoy such things as the oratorio we heard this evening," my friend continued, in answer to my puzzled look. "Last year I didn't hear 'The Messiah,' I thought I couldn't find time for it."

"That was my first thought when you suggested our going this evening," I answered, "but I decided one ought to take time for such inspirational music."

"If we miss the songs and stories about the birth of Christ, we're missing Christmas itself," Evelyn declared. "I found that out last year when I almost let trivial things prevent my attending a program at the high school on the Friday before Christmas.

"When the girls were starting for school that day, I was sitting at my desk, checking over a list of things that had to be done before Christmas.

"'You're coming to our program, aren't you?' Jean asked. 'It begins at half-past-two.'

"'I'll come if I have time,' I answered absent-mindedly.

"'Please try to come, Mother,' Rose urged. 'The pageant is so lovely we don't want you to miss it!'

"The list on my desk was appalling ly long. There were gifts, letters or cards to be sent to a host of relatives and friends, elaborate decorations to be put into place, and food to be prepared—enough for a multitude! After working feverishly through the morning, I decided in the afternoon to do a bit of shopping.

"On my way downtown, I walked past the high school. It was just the hour for the Christmas program, which I had almost forgotten. I didn't really have time to join the throng of people streaming in at the door, but I knew the girls would be disappointed if I were not there. I thought I would go in and listen for just a few minutes and then continue downtown.

"The auditorium was darkened when I slipped into a back seat, and the orchestra was playing 'Silent Night.' It was good to rest and listen to the strains of Christmas music.

"In a few minutes the curtain rose to show the beautiful manger scene and from the balcony above me, where Jean and Rose were singing with the capella choir, rang out the triumphant words, 'Joy to the world, the Lord is come'!

"From the first joyous chorus to the last note of the solemn postlude I sat in reverent wonder as the immortal Christmas story was unfolded on the stage and the choir and orchestra poured forth the glorious Christmas music.

"My heart was filled with peace and joy as I walked out of the school building and started downtown. I wished that all of our Christmas celebration could be like that pageant—a commemoration of the birth of Christ. Even as I made that wish, I knew that I could make it come true. I realized that my children would be richer for my faith than for all the expensive gifts and lavish entertaining my overworked hands could provide.

"Right in the middle of the street I turned around and started home—my heart growing lighter with every step. I was sure we could have a happy Christmas without the elaborate preparations that were depriving me of the blessings of the day."

"And you did have a happy Christmas last year?" I questioned, and my answer I read in my friend's face.

"Yes," Evelyn replied, "the happiest ever! We simplified our gift giving even to each other, and I do not think our friends suffered any lack because we expressed our interest in less wearisome ways. The consideration of individual preferences, in planning simple holiday menus, brought more pleasure to our household than a lavish display had ever done, and it enabled us to afford contributions in several cases where otherwise the meals would have been un-Christmas-like and scanty. We're going to have a happy Christmas this year, too."

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This affords an excellent opportunity, not only for Edmontonians, but for out-of-towners as well, to get the thrill of their lives, to see in person the world's greatest pianist in action. To accomodate the many requests from music lovers outside of Edmonton, the committee in charge has arranged for acceptance of mail orders for admission tickets. Prices of seats are $2.50, $2.00, $1.50 and $1.00. All orders should be mailed to the Hofmann Recital, Empire Theatre Edmonton.

CALL FOR DOMINION AID FOR HIGHWAYS

Federal air for highway improvements is being advocated in various provinces and probably will be discussed at the annual meeting of the Alberta Motor Association in Calgary this month.

Some provinces have urged that federal aid should include development of connecting municipal roads, in order to attract tourist travel and provide farmers with access to their markets.

Another claim is that there should be federal aid to the provinces in the construction of connecting roads to points in the U.S. This would facilitate the handling of tourist traffic and meet other traffic needs.

While the dominion government is giving some financial assistance to the building of roads to mining centres, it is believed that it should do much more in aiding construction of tourist highways, especially in Alberta which has more national parks than any other province.

Now that the war is over, the dominion should be able to give substantial assistance in road construction, it is claimed by provincial authorities in some provinces.

Concrete Highways Urged For Alberta

Adoption of a system of concrete highways which has been advocated by the Alberta Motor Association is being followed in other western provinces.

In Manitoba, the government has announced that it will undertake certain road improvements of this type, at a cost of $50,000 per mile. On certain other concrete paved sections of the province's system, the maintenance costs were negligible.

On the other hand, the Manitoba government has stated that one asphalt surfaced road is a disgrace, though the maintenance expense has been $1,450 per mile.

The A.M.A. is making strong demands on the Alberta government to improve the highway system of this province to meet the needs of the people, both urban and rural.

It is urging that a start be made on the province's proposed $120,000,000 post-war highway program. While the government has proposed this as a 10-year program, the A.M.A. suggests that as much as possible should be done in the next two or three years.

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Hints for the Household

COOKING POULTRY

Whether the bird chosen to grace the Christmas table is a goose, turkey or chicken, it should be a very special one. Since it is to be the centre of attraction when it appears on the Christmas dinner table it must first be as imposing as possible, then cooked to a luscious golden brown. The meat should be tender, yet moist, when cut and the dressing rich and crumbly.

The Holiday Bird and his Stuffing

The rules of modern poultry cooking are few and easy to follow. First, when buying your holiday bird watch for signs of a young bird, suggests Mrs. Macdonald, Supervisor of the Home Economics Division. Look for soft cartilage at the end of the breast bone, dark yellow legs and feet, smooth skin, well-fleshed breast and a good layer of fat under the skin. Allow at least ¾ lb. dressed weight per person and of course you will want extra for salads and sandwiches during the holiday week. Dressed weight is described as weight before the bird is drawn, and including head and feet.

To Roast Turkey or Chicken

Place breast side down on a rack or crossed skewers in an uncovered pan with no water added. If you haven't a roaster large enough, the bird may be wrapped in parchment paper or brown wrapping paper, greased. If the bird is not very fat, rub with mild drippings and baste during the roasting. Bake in a moderately slow oven about 300°F, allowing 30 minutes per pound dressed weight for chickens, 20 minutes for turkeys and 25 minutes if the turkey weighs 10 pounds or less. Avoid high temperatures in roasting as this toughens the meat, causing it to shrink and lose its juices. Turn bird on back to brown uniformly during last hour of roasting.

The Roast Goose or Duck

Choose one not too fat—place breast side up on rack in roaster. Add one cup boiling water and cover tightly. Roast at 325°F, for one hour, then pour off water and fat and continue roasting uncovered until done. (Twenty to twenty-five minutes per pound dressed weight.)

NOTE: Frozen poultry should be thawed slowly at a low or room temperature. Do not hurry thawing by soaking meat in water, either hot or cold. Soaking causes reckless loss of good juices. Poultry will keep longer if not drawn.

To Stuff Poultry

1. Turkey and chicken should not have a dressing too strongly flavoured—bread and cracker crumbs, oyster, sausage, chestnut etc. are ideal.

2. Duck and goose take a fairly highly seasoned dressing or fruit dressing. Since they are fat they require a dry stuffing to soak up fat during roasting.

3. Sprinkle inside of bird with salt before dressing. Allow approximately three-quarter cup dressing per pound (dressed weight.) Ordinarily, 1 one-pound loaf of bread will make about four cups medium dry bread crumbs.

Here are some special recipes from the gift bag of Sanata Claus. Try them during the holiday season and you'll have delightful surprises.

Out West Fruit Plate

On a bed of salad greens alternate:
2 cups orange sections
1 cup unpeeled apple slices
Around them group:
1 cup raisins
1 cup dates
1 cup prunes.

The prunes and dates may be stuffed with nuts or cheese. Arrange on large plate for buffet or on individual plates. Serve with preferred dressing.

Grape-Nuts Wheat-Meal Stuffing

2¼ cups ¼-inch bread cubes
4 tablespoons butter
4 tablespoons minced onion
1 tablespoon finely chopped celery leaves
2 tablespoons chopped parsley
½ teaspoon sage
1 teaspoon salt
⅛ teaspoon pepper
1 cup thinly sliced celery
1 cup wheat-meal
1 egg, well beaten
¼ cup hot water

Toast bread cubes in slow oven until lightly browned and crisp. Melt butter in saucepan. Add onion, celery leaves, parsley, sage, pepper and celery. Add egg and water and toss together lightly with fork until thoroughly mixed. Makes enough stuffing for a 5-pound fowl.

NOTE: If a more moist stuffing is desired, add more water.

To stuff a 14-pound turkey, increase recipe to 2½ times, using 2 eggs.

Holiday Pie

1 box (16-oz) quick-frozen cooked squash, thawed
¾ cup light brown sugar, firmly packed
¼ cup granulated sugar
1 teaspoon cinnamon
½ teaspoon ginger
½ teaspoon nutmeg
½ teaspoon salt
2 eggs slightly beaten
1½ cups milk
2 teaspoons melted butter
½ recipe pie crust

Combine squash with remaining ingredients in order given; strain. Line a 9-inch pie plate with pastry rolled ⅛ inch thick, allowing pastry to extend 1 inch beyond edge. Fold edge back to form standing rim and flute with fingers. Fill with squash mixture. Bake in hot oven (450°F.) 20 minutes; then decrease heat to moderate (350°F.) and bake 30 minutes longer. Quick-frozen squash is cooked and pureed before quick-freezing seals in its farm-fresh flavor. It is delicious not only as a deluxe "pumpkin" pie filling, but also heated, seasoned with salt and pepper.

Mincemeat Flakes Pudding

1 package (9 ounces) mincemeat
½ cup water
1/3 cup brown sugar, firmly packed
2 tablespoons flour
⅛ teaspoon cinnamon
3 tablespoons butter
1½ cups Grape-Nuts Flakes

Break mincemeat with fork: add water and bring to a boil, stirring well. Turn into greased pan, 8 x 8 x 2-inches. Combine sugar, flour, and cinnamon. Cream butter, add sugar mixture and blend. Mix with flakes. Crumble over top of mincemeat. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) 20 minutes. Serve warm with plain or whipped cream. Serves 6 to 8.

Lemon Jelly

(Makes about 8 medium glasses)
2½ cups juice and water
6 cups sugar
1 bottle fruit pectin

To prepare juice, grate rind and squeeze juice from 6 medium lemons. Add ¾ cup lemon juice and 1¾ cups water to grated rind and let stand 10 minutes. Press juice through small cloth.

Measure sugar and juice into large saucepan and mix.

Bring to a boil over hottest fire and at once add bottled fruit pectin, stirring constantly. Then bring to a full rolling boil and boil hard ½ minute.

Remove from fire, skim, pour quickly. Paraffin hot jelly at once.

Cranberry and Fresh Orange Jelly

3½ cups sugar
1½ cups canned cranberry juice
1½ cups fresh orange juice, strained
1 box powdered fruit pectin

Measure sugar into dry dish and set aside until needed.

Measure juice into a 3- to 4-quart saucepan and place over hottest fire. Add powdered fruit pectin, mix well, and continue stirring until mixture comes to a hard boil. At once pour in sugar, stirring constantly. Continue stirring.

Bring to a full rolling boil, and boil hard ½ minute.

Remove from fire, skim, pour quickly. Paraffin hot jelly at once.

BADGER FEAST

One of the strangest surviving Christmas customs is the badger feast held at Ilchester, Somerset. It was started by poachers in Norman times, says the Montreal Herald, and has continued without a break. The lads of the village catch a badger kill and dress it some time before the feast. On Christmas eve it is strung on a spit over a huge fire at the inn and cooked slowly. When it is ready the party attack it with fingers and pen-knives; no cutlery other than this is allowed.

WORD ASSEMBLY FOR MORAL RE-ARMAMENT

The third World Assembly for Moral Re-Armament was held recently at Mackinac Island, Michigan, and delegates from 19 nations now prepare to put to work in their countries the conference program of "revolutionary teamwork". State and provincial governors as well as city leaders in both the United States and Canada have already asked for demonstration teams to visit their communities with tested cures for industrial and civic problems.

"A revolutionary conception of teamwork that will capture the people of the world is the greatest need of today," said Dr. Frank N. D. Buchman, leader of the assembly. "We must create a change of heart in men. This spirit of teamwork, both nationally and internationally, is the only force mighty enough to control the new atomic force." As well as formulating plans to achieve this spirit, delegates were trained and equipped at the conference to create it in their homes, jobs and countries.

Representatives from Britain and four nations on the European Continent attended the assembly by special authorization of their governments. Among other nations represented were Australia, India, China and South Africa. Men and women delegates included underground resistance leaders, newspapermen, industrialists, trade union officers and government officials. Whole families took part in the conference with teen-age representatives playing a distinctive role in the deliberations.

The program developed at the assembly attacks a wide range of problems like unemployment, juvenile delinquency, labor-management deadlocks, the rising divorce rate and civic unrest from a new angle. In each case the emphasis is on developing constructive leadership to create teamwork through a change of attitude in individuals. Delegates agreed to two main points as a tested formula for applying this spirit to any situation, "honest apology and the standard of what's right rather than who's right".

George Light, chairman of the National Trade Union Club of London, voiced conclusions reached by labor delegates for industry: "Now that the shotgun-marriage unity of the war is over, industry needs to find a new and greater incentive for teamwork. The battleline is not between management and worker or worker and worker, but between the forces who want revolutionary moral change in their countries at any personal cost and those who are content with material change which is only superficial."

The part management can play was described by Farrar Vickers, British oil industry executive. "Management needs to give its heart to the workers, as well as service to the nation, and to accept labor's part in policy-making. A pattern of industrial teamwork in Britian and America" he said, "would be the greatest contribution to preserving true democracy in Europe."

"Teamwork, which is the expression of the democratic ideology, must start in the home if democracy is to survive," said Mrs. William Wood, direct descendant of Lewis Cass, first governor of Michigan Territory, including Mackinac Island. She referred to conference reports of industrial and other deadlocks which had grown out of conflict in the homes of those concerned. One Detroit union leader, for example, declared that new unity in his home had resulted in a spirit of cooperation at the plant. As a consequence, the number of man hours lost by his union through work stoppage had dropped from 2,500,000 in 1944 to approximately 5,000 to date in 1945.

Father Frits Van der Meer of Holland, who had been asked by the Archbishop of Utrecht to attend the assembly and report on the work of Moral Re-Armament, said that he had found "a spirit of real charity which, especially in this crucial epoch can alone be the basis for understanding and unity among Christians."

A solution to minorities problems was pointed by Dr. Erich Peyer of Switzerland. "Minorities have distinctive qualities to give to their nations" he said. "If they stress these instead of demanding their special rights, they need have no fear. A grateful country will safeguard their rights." Swiss, French Dutch Swedish Norwegian and Danish delegates launched a joint program to make their countries interpreters of democracy to the rest of Europe and reconcilers among the nations.

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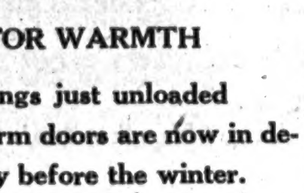

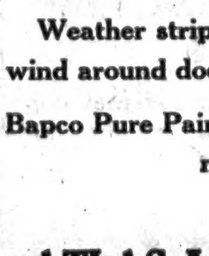

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BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. J. T Cote, of Chauvin at the Wainwright municipal hospital on December 6th, a girl.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. G. Glasgow of Irma at the Wainwright municipal hospital on December 10th, a girl.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. J. Laycock of Fabyan at the Wainwright municipal hospital on December 8th, a girl.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Reg Wiley of Heath at the Wainwright municipal hospital on December 10th, a girl.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Moore of Fabyan at the Wainwright municipal hospital on December 10th, a boy.

BORN—To Pte. and Mrs. Albert Hewer (nee Doris Dalby of Wainwright) on November 29th in the Chilliwack General Hospital, a daughter, Barbara Marie, 7 lbs., 5 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Stromme (nee Dorarine Wilkins) arrived the first of the week in order to attend the Shaban-Wilkins wedding.

— V —

The prize winners of the recent Spady's Dairy essay contest, included Aleita Stevenson, Arthur McNeilly and Irene Borsch. The Star hopes to publish a full account of the winning stories next week.

— V —

Pte. Donald Forrest arrirved home on Monday night's train from Halifax on leave pending discharge.

— V —

We are glad to see Mr. Gordon Graham around again after his recent stay in the hospital even if he does need a little assistance from his cane.

— V —

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Oxby and daughter Marjorie motored to Chilliwack last week and plan to spend the winter there.

— V —

Mrs. P. T. Haywood arrived home last week-end after visiting with her brother at North Battleford, Sask.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Quillen of Hardisty stopped over in town for a visit enroute to the coast with Mrs. Quillin's brother, Mr. D. MacKay.

— V —

Mrs. Jas. Bracegirdle arrived on Thursday night's bus from Lindbrook to attend the meeting of Adeline Rebekah Lodge and visit relatives in town.

— V —

Bob Wilbraham arrived unexpectedly on Monday night to spend a leave from his naval duties with his parents in town.

— V —

Mrs. Rosale Taylor spent the week-end in the city visiting with relatives.

— V —

We are sorry to report that Rev. W. A. Whelan is a patient at the local hospital and hope he is soon well enough to return home.

— V —

Mrs. Russell Ganderton left for Edmonton on Tuesday morning's train where she will meet her husband who returned home from overseas on the Queen Elizabeth last week.

— V —

Mrs. A. T. Gray spent a couple of days in the city last week.

— V —

Mr. A. Swanson, Sr., left for Winnipeg on Sunday night after a holiday spent visiting relatives here.

— V —

Dr. and Mrs. H. C Wallace left Sunday morning for an extended holiday in Montreal and other points East.

— V —

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Wright enjoyed a visit from Mr. Wright's parents who were here from Edmonton for a few days last week.

— V —

Mrs. C. Fleming who has been visiting her daughter Mrs. C. A Alexander left for Vancouver on Monday morning's train. Mrs. Alexander and Anne accompanied her as far as Edmonton.

— V —

Mr. Tom Patterson and son Purv. left for Toronto on Thursday on receipt of the news of the death of Mrs. Patterson there.

— V —

Mr. and Mrs. Eyben and Mrs. M. Martin left for Portland last Friday to attend the funeral of Mr. Andy Carlson, who passed away at his home there last week.

— V —

The ladies of the Wainwright War Service League will hold their annual meeting in the Council Chambers on Friday, December 15, at 3:00 p.m. This is the annual meeting for the year so all members should make an effort to attend.

— V —

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Moffatt have rented the Washburn house and will move into town for the winter months

— V —

Many of the old time residents will regret to hear of the death of Mrs. Buchanan who died in Vancouver from a heart attack about two weeks ago. Mrs. Buchanan used to make her home in the Battle View district.

— V —

Mrs. Folkins of Chauvin was in town last week visiting with her daughter Mrs. J. A. MacKenzie.

— V —

Miss Eined Dahl spent the past week-end in the city returning home Sunday night.

Mr. Robert Biggart of Cutknife, Sask., spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H Valleau and while there purchased some very fine Shorthorn cattle.

— V —

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sharp motored up last week-end to visit with Mrs. Treffry, Mr. and Mrs. Sharp and other relatives in the district.

— V —

The Anglican Church W.A. held a very successful bazaar and sale of home cooking in the Parish hall last Saturday.

— V —

Sgt. Fred Udell, RCOC was in town for a few days from Medicine Hat last week on business.

— V —

Having recently returned from over seas with the RCAF, Mr. Clifford Reynolds has now taken over management of Reynold's Garage on Main street.

— V —

Non-ratepayers of the hospital district are reminded that according to the hospital minutes published this week the rate has been increased from $2.75 to $3.00 per day. Better pay that fee now entitling you to the $1.00 a day rate. See the advertisement on page three.

— V —

Mr. and Mrs. Art Moan left on Saturday evening for Kimberley, B.C where they will make their future home. They will visit at Bawlf and Camrose en route.

— V —

After a few days spent here Capt. Les Strange has now returned to his depot at Calgary.

— V —

Mr. E. Schumacker and family are now comfortably settled in the new home he recently built on 7th Ave. West.

— V —

Mr. W. E. Washburn accompanied by Mr. Elmer Babb left on Sunday to motor to Victoria, B.C., where Mr. and Mrs. Washburn are planning to spend the winter. Mrs. Washburn left the first of the week by train. Mr. Babb will visit with his mother and family in Victoria.

— V —

Mrs. E. L. Wilson returned at the week-end from Vancouver, B.C, where she spent a couple of weeks visiting with her sister, Mrs. S. C. Baxter.

— V —

Miss Bessie Ragan has been transferred from Wetaskiwin to the local Treasury Branch where she was formerly employed.

WELCOME HOME

We are glad to welcome home still another group of our local boys who returned on the Queen Elizabeth, docking in New York last week. Among these being CFN. M. L. (Mickey) Michon, Pte. J. C. Thompson, Gnr. C. R. Freed and Russell Ganderton of Wainwright, also J. C McCormick, Edgerton and W. J. Lagerquist, Heath.

The myth that tuberculosis is nearing the point of being conquered has received two rude shocks of late. The first is the discovery of tens of thousands of insuspected cases through mass X-ray procedures. The second is autopsy proof that the infected rate has not lessened proportionately to the decline in mortality.

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11:00 a.m.—Divine Worship
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7:30 p.m—Divine Worship
Subject:—Lives and Legends of the Apostles.
A cordial invitation is extended to all. Organized meetings of the church as follows:
Wednesday, 6:45 p.m.—Jr. Choir Practice.
7:30 p.m.—C.G.I.T
8:00 p.m.—Young People's Society.
Thursday, 8:00 p.m.—Call to Prayer
Friday, 7:30 p.m.—Explorers'
Ladies Guild the first Wednesday of the month at 3:00 p.m.
W.M.S. third Wednesday of the month at 3:00 p.m.

Elite Doings for the Month of December

Dec. 11-12—"Don Juan Quilligan"
Dec. 13-14-15—"Thunderhead Son of Flicka"
Dec. 17-18-19—"All Came True" and "Pride of the Blue Grass"
Dec. 20-21-22—"Incendiary Blonde"
Dec. 24-25—"Affairs of Susan"
Dec. 26-27—"Sun Bonnet Sue"
Dec. 28-29—"You Came Along"
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RESOLUTION ASKS FOR COMPULSORY PASTEURIZATION

With a view to educating and influencing public opinion everywhere in the Dominion in favor of compulsory pasteurization of milk the recent 26th annual meeting of the Health League of Canada approved of a resolution endorsing compulsory pasteurization and urging governments of all provinces outside Ontario to enact such legislation.

Ontario is the only province at present with such a law on its statutes.

The resolution:

Resolved that this annual meeting of the Health League of Canada endorse the following resolution concerning pasteurization of milk and that this resolution be widely circulated throughout Canada with a view to educating and influencing public opinion everywhere in the Dominion.

Whereas milk is acknowledged to be among the finest of all foods and an essential in human diet, and

Whereas milk in its raw state is an excellent culture medium and a means for the transmission of germs and communicable disease to humans, and

Whereas raw milk for this reason may be a factor in increased infant mortality rates and the spread of typhoid and para-typhoid fever, tuberculosis, undulant fever, scarlet fever, septic sore throat and dipatheria, and

Whereas the pasteurization of milk will destroy the organisms which cause these infections without lessening its nutritive value;

Therefore be it resolved that we go on record as endorsing the compulsory pasteurization of all milk sold for human consumption strongly urging the government of this province to enact a law to that effect.

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COMMITTEE PRESENT REPORT ON PROPOSED PEACE MEMORIAL CENTRE

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On motion of Councillor Robinson, that the Monthly Statement for the month ending November 30th, 1945 be accepted as received and ordered incorporated in the minutes of this regular meeting.

On motion of Councillor Leggett, that assent be given to the introduction of a by-law concerning the sale of Lot 20 in Block 26, Plan 3445-V, to Angus W. Fraser of Vermilion for the sum of $30.00.

By-Law Number 464 then received its three readings in regular form.

On motion of Councillor Robinson, that the Report of the Committee appointed at regular meeting of Council, held on November 20th, 1945 relative to Proposed Peace Memorial Centre, be received by Council and recommendations contained therein be approved, provided that the Town has lawful authority to comply with these recommendations referred to.

Your Committee on Proposed Peace Memorial Centre

We, your Committee, appointed to bring in a Report, in connection with the above, beg to report as follows:—

A large amount of valuable organization work has already been accomplished by the Executive o fthe Committee of the Peace Memorial Centre and they are to be commended for same. We find that application has already been made for incorporation of this organization under the Societies Act and no doubt Charter for same will shortly be in their hands.

In relation to the Resolution presented to Council at the last regular meeting, asking that the Town guarantee a contribution of $10,000 towards the erection of this project after a sum of a like amount had been collected by voluntary subscriptions, we would bring to your attention the following information and suggestions. Firstly that the right of Council to make a contribution or grant towards a project of this nature is strirctly not allowable under the Statute of The Town and Village Act but such a project is permitted under Section 203 of said Act if owned by the Town. As a suggestion we would advise that definite plans and specifications of this proposed building be procured and an estimated cost of same be ascertained.

As recommendations we would advise as follows:—

(1) That the proposed building and property would be vested in the name of the Town.

(2) That should the cost of the first unit of this building exceed the present estimated cost of $20,000, that the Peace Memorial Committee sponsoring same, would undertake to raise any excess sum requffed before commencement of project.

(3) That your Committee, fully realizing the great benefit that would derived from the erection of a building of this nature, would recommend that an expenditure of $10,000 of Town Monies be provided for this purpose when the recommendations contained in this Report shall have been complied with.

Respectfully submitted,
J. ROBINSON
Chairman.

On motion of Councillor Coleman, that Councillor Robinson be appointed as Chairman of the Aviation Committee with the recommendation that this Committee be incorporated with one of the standing committees of the Town on appointment of same in 1946.

On motion Council was regularly adjourned.

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The need for funds is much greater than originally expected, so that the Director of the UNRRA, Mr. Lehman—an American—and General Eisenhower recently pressed the United States to pay up what it still owes. They have further asked all countries to contribute still another 1% of their national income "to alleviate widespread suffering, hunger and cold". One hundred shiploads of foodstuffs a month are now being shipped, but in spite of this the Director stated to Congress a few days ago that "during the month of November, 1,0000 people will die of starvation and disease in Warsaw alone".

Mr. Lehman further affirmed that "there is a serious risk of deaths by the millions this winter in Europe from starvation and disease unless considerably more funds are at once made available; that in Europe 180 million people are actually starving or are on the border line of starvation.

ITEMS OF INTEREST IN THE WORLD OF FOODSTUFFS

Cuban corn production this year is estimated at only about 80% of normal as a result of drought damage—Sweden's 1945 bread grain crops will not supply sufficient millable quality grain for the country's consumption requirements—England and Wales seeded 2,180,000 acres to wheat in 1945, compared with 3,063,000 acres a year ago.

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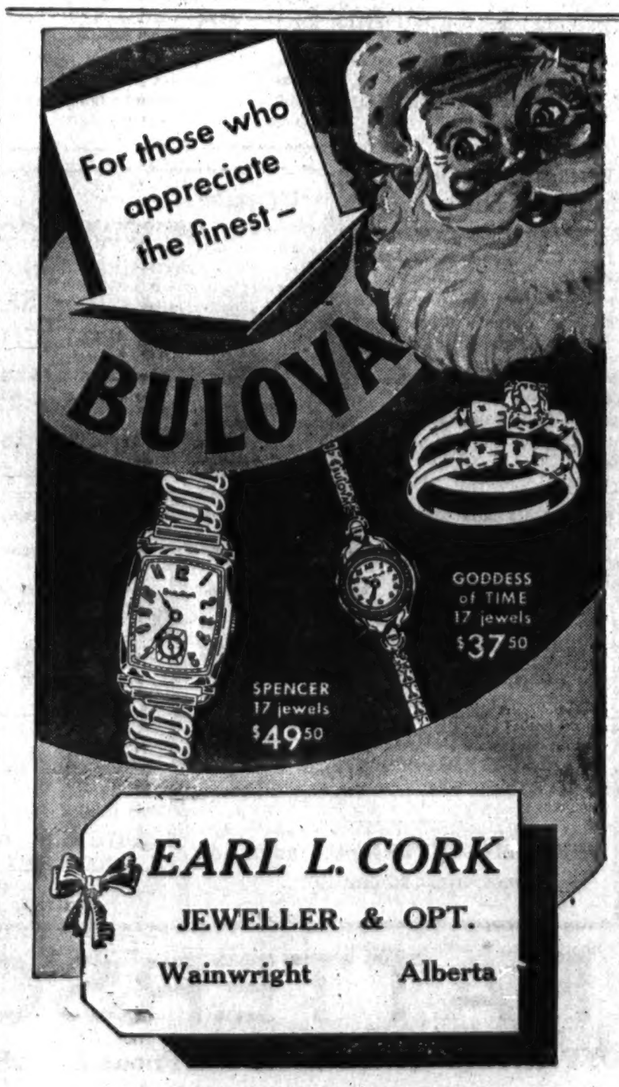

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